

## MISSION STATEMENT

### **The Association of Pastoral Ministers**

is a community of caring people,  
committed to human service ministries in the  
Church and  
to the support of each other  
in those ministries.

### **The role of our members**

is one of leadership  
in calling people forth to ministry  
and in modeling new ways of ministering.

### **We are dedicated to nurturing relationships**

with individuals and organizations  
within the Archdiocese of St. Paul and  
Minneapolis  
and beyond its boundaries.

We are concerned with broader  
relationships and responsibilities.

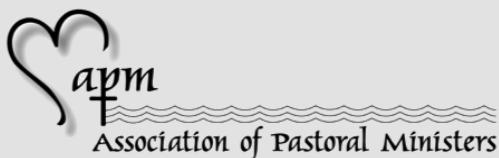
We recognize the value of dialogue  
within the Church

for human and spiritual growth for all.

### **A community of discernment,**

we seek to discover and implement  
ways that will strengthen and improve the  
quality

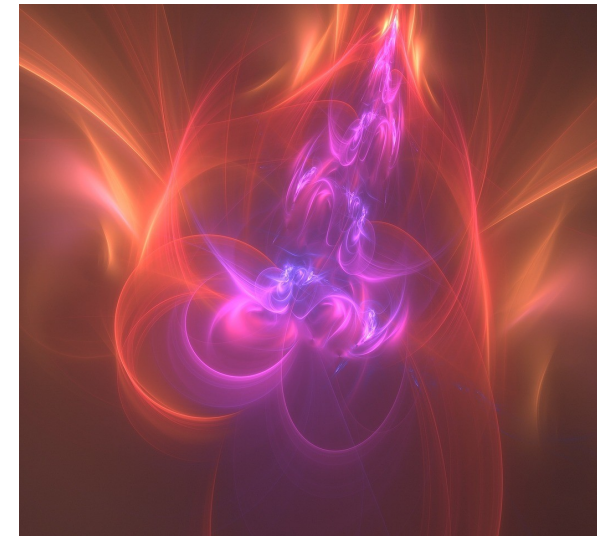
of our ministry, modeled after the life and  
teachings of Jesus.



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## The Spirit Breathes Over the Chaos

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Speaker: Dr. Cathy Cory

2:00 - 3:30 p.m.

**Wednesday, November 18, 2020**

"Behold, I Make All Things  
New": Seeking the Holy Spirit in Times of  
Tension and Loss

Speaker: Anne Weyandt, J.D., Ed.D.

2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

**Thursday, February 11, 2021**

Understanding Bias & Its Impact

Speaker: Michael Rios

2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

## The Spirit Breathes Over the Chaos

During these Covid-19 times, presentations will be virtual using Zoom.

**Register via email to attend and get the meeting information:**

**Members:** No Cost

**Non-Members: \$5.00/event**

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Under the umbrella of APM's larger theme this year, "The Spirit Breathes Over the Chaos" this presentation will focus on the prophets of old and the ways in which their ministry was inspired by the Holy Spirit. Admittedly, there are few explicit references to the Holy Spirit in the books of the prophets. However, as we dig deeply into the biblical references that we do have, we will discover the immense power of the Holy Spirit to speak truth to God's people in difficult times, even when the prophet resists or is fearful. We will also consider what it means to be a prophetic voice in the church and in the world today. What insights might we glean from these prophets of old to help us assume our role as authentic prophets who allow the Spirit to breathe through us and "renew the face of the earth" (Psa 104:30).

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The Nicene Creed says in part, "I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the Giver of Life ... who has spoken through the prophets." By virtue of our baptism we are all called to be prophets. Prophetic imagination and activity cannot remain passive; the Spirit is still speaking to us in this time, demanding that we reflect and act with purpose. How is the Spirit challenging us to address the chaos caused by various "isms" (sexism, racism, clericalism, feminism) in families, in the church and in the world.

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When you hear the word bias, what comes to mind? If something is unconscious, what can we do about it? Join us for an interactive workshop as we explore unconscious bias—what it is, where it comes from, and its implications on the world around us.

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